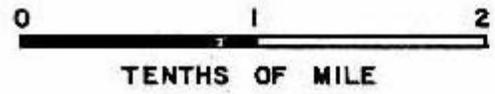


MIDAS # 1644
SECOND SLY BROOK LAKE

NEW CANADA PLT., AROOSTOOK CO., MAINE

AREA 13 ACRES



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New Canada, Aroostook Co.
U.S.G.S. Eagle Lake, Me (7 1/2')

Fishes

Landlocked salmon	Redbelly dace
Brook trout	Blacknose dace
Rainbow smelt	Creek chub
Minnnows	Fallfish
Common shiner	White sucker
Blacknose shiner	Threespine stickleback

Physical Characteristics

Area - 13 acres

Maximum depth - 21 feet

Principal fishery: Brook trout

Temperatures:

Surface - 68⁰F

20 feet - 51⁰F

Second Sly Brook Lake is considered ideal brook trout habitat. Water below the 10-foot level is cold with abundant dissolved oxygen in late summer. Unfortunately, the rough fishes present are competitors with trout for food and space.

This wild brook trout fishery is maintained by spawning and nursery areas available in the inlet and outlet streams.

Smelt eggs were experimentally planted in Third Sly Brook Lake in 1981. Smelts became established in Third Sly Brook Lake and have since migrated downstream into Second Sly Brook Lake where they may provide a fishery for sport fishermen and a supply of smelts for bait dealers.

Access to Second Sly Brook Lake is via First Sly Brook Lake inlet or Third Sly Brook Lake outlet. These streams are small and shallow so access is limited to small crafts.

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